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<b>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b> ADDRESS TO: <b>MAIL STOP RCE</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	Application Number	036,744
	Filing Date	June 2, 2000
	First Named Inventor	Harrington et al.
	Group Art Unit	1652
	Examiner Name	SAIDHA, T.
	Attorney Docket No.	9584-017

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-captioned application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

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## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ (Any un-entered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (including Form PTO-1449 and References)
- iv. ☒ Other: **Petition for 5 month Extension of Time**

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## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-captioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed three months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)
- b. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Fees are calculated as follows:
- |  | AMOUNT    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity  | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity            |
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| i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE BASIC FEE                 | \$ 750.00 | \$ 750.00   | \$ 375.00  |
| ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXTENSION FEES               | \$        | One-Month \$ 110.00<br>Two-Month 410.00<br>Three-Month 930.00<br>Four-Month 1450.00<br>Five-Month 1970.00 | \$ 55.00<br>205.00<br>465.00<br>725.00<br>985.00 |
| iii. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (5 TOTAL CLAIMS IN EXCESS OF 22) | \$        | \$ 18.00  | \$ 9.00  |
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$2,720.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any variance between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges to **Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (ORDER RI-71904 (470438-7))**
- c. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees as indicated above, charge any variance or credit any overpayments, to **Deposit Account No. 50-2319**.

SUBMITTED BY

Complete (if applicable)

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Date

August 13, 2003